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FORM PTO-1082
TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

BOX APPLICATIONS

Re: New U.S. Patent Application
For: OBJECT MONITORING APPARATUS
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Attorney Docket: 0102/0156

Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above, including 58 pages of textual specification including 9 claims, and 20 sheets of drawings.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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[] is filed herewith;
[] will be filed at a later date;
[] was filed in the parent application.

Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-36120 dated February 15, 2000

[] Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.
 Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.

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There is no claim to foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

Executed Declaration(s) is/are submitted herewith.

Executed Declaration(s) will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.41 and § 1.53, with an appropriate surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).

Formal drawing(s) is/are attached.

Formal drawing(s) will be submitted at a later date.

An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s) cited therein is/are submitted.

Assignment document(s) is/are submitted herewith, along with Form PTO-1595; the recordation fee of \$40.00 per document is enclosed herewith.

A check in the amount of \$ 990.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this form is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, except the filing fee, *during the entire pendency of the present application*, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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